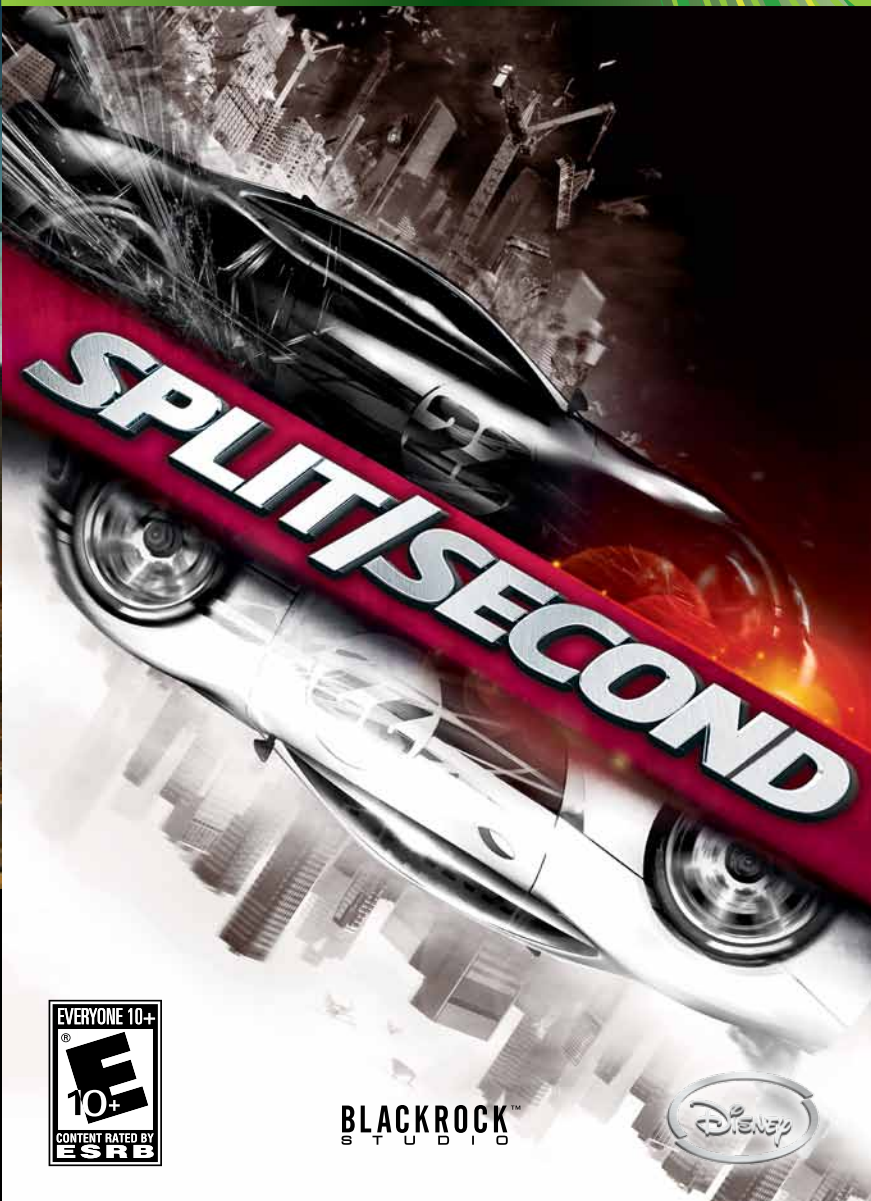




XBOX 360

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SPLIT SECOND



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⚠ WARNING Before playing this game, read the Xbox 360® console and accessory manuals for important safety and health information. Keep all manuals for future reference. For replacement console and accessory manuals, go to www.xbox.com/support.

Important Health Warning About Playing Video Games

Photosensitive seizures

A very small percentage of people may experience a seizure when exposed to certain visual images, including flashing lights or patterns that may appear in video games. Even people who have no history of seizures or epilepsy may have an undiagnosed condition that can cause these "photosensitive epileptic seizures" while watching video games.

These seizures may have a variety of symptoms, including lightheadedness, altered vision, eye or face twitching, jerking or shaking of arms or legs, disorientation, confusion, or momentary loss of awareness. Seizures may also cause loss of consciousness or convulsions that can lead to injury from falling down or striking nearby objects.

Immediately stop playing and consult a doctor if you experience any of these symptoms. Parents should watch for or ask their children about the above symptoms—children and teenagers are more likely than adults to experience these seizures. The risk of photosensitive epileptic seizures may be reduced by taking the following precautions: Sit farther from the screen; use a smaller screen; play in a well-lit room; do not play when you are drowsy or fatigued.

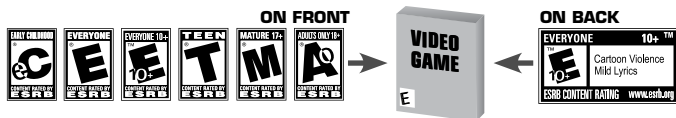
If you or any of your relatives have a history of seizures or epilepsy, consult a doctor before playing.

ESRB Game Ratings

The Entertainment Software Rating Board (ESRB) ratings are designed to provide consumers, especially parents, with concise, impartial guidance about the age-appropriateness and content of computer and video games. This information can help consumers make informed purchase decisions about which games they deem suitable for their children and families.

ESRB ratings have two equal parts:

- **Rating Symbols** suggest age appropriateness for the game. These symbols appear on the front of virtually every game box available for retail sale or rental in the United States and Canada.
- **Content Descriptors** indicate elements in a game that may have triggered a particular rating and/or may be of interest or concern. The descriptors appear on the back of the box next to the rating symbol.



For more information, visit www.ESRB.org.

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GAME CONTROLS



Note: These are the default controls.

- B** Trigger Level 2 Power Play
- A** / **X** Trigger Level 1 Power Play
- LT** Steer
- RT** Brake/Start drifting if cornering at speed
- START** Accelerate
- START** Pause to in-game menu
- Y** Change camera view
- R** Camera control

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CONNECT TO Xbox LIVE®



Xbox LIVE® brings more of the entertainment you love right to your living room. Raise the curtain on your own instant movie night with thousands of HD movies, TV shows, and videos downloaded in a snap from Xbox LIVE and Netflix. Find the perfect game for any player with a free trial of hundreds of titles from the largest library available. With downloadable Game Add-Ons like maps, songs, weapons and levels, you'll get more out of every game by putting more into it. And don't forget to connect and play with friends wherever they happen to be. With Xbox LIVE, your fun never ends.

Connecting

Before you can use Xbox LIVE, connect your Xbox 360 console to a high-speed Internet connection and sign up to become an Xbox LIVE member. For more information about connecting, and to determine whether Xbox LIVE is available in your region, go to www.xbox.com/live/countries.

Family Settings

These easy and flexible tools enable parents and caregivers to decide which games young game players can access based on the content rating. Parents can restrict access to mature-rated content. Approve who and how your family interacts with others online with the Xbox LIVE service. And set time limits on how long they can play. For more information, go to www.xbox.com/familysettings.



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WELCOME TO SPLIT/SECOND!

Congratulations! You've made it through the auditions and joined the elite group of drivers in this season of the global TV reality series known as Split/Second.

The scene is set for the most outrageous televised motorsport ever seen, in a city built for speed, destruction, and maximum pyrotechnic spectacle. Every racetrack is lined with Power Plays — race-changing traps designed to smash your opponents off the track at the touch of the button on your dashboard. So winning each event is as much about ruthlessly wrecking your rivals' cars as it is about taking the best line through the corners.

Remember, when speed is not enough — the city is your weapon!



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SPLIT/SECOND MAIN MENU

Season Mode – Begin a new season of Split/Second or pick up where you left off from the last episode you played.

Quick Play – Jump into a Split/Second event using Quick Play game modes — featuring the cars and tracks that have been unlocked in Season mode



Multi-Player – Compete online in multiplayer for up to 8 people or go head-to-head against another player in 2-person split screen action.

Extras – Review the game tutorial, check out your stats, access downloadable content and more.

Note: The game automatically saves your progress during play.

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WINNING POWER

Before you can trigger Power Plays you need to win Power. Use these driving skills to fill the Power bar beneath your car.

Drift – Enter a corner at speed, then steer hard and tap the brakes to drift your car around the bend. Control the drift with your steering and throttle.

Draft – Drop in close behind an opponent and stay there for as long as you can.

Jump – Find the best spots for the biggest jumps, and land safely!

Near Miss – Dodge a Power Play that has just been triggered in your path.

Drift Pass – Overtake an opponent while drifting.

Jump Pass – Overtake an opponent in mid-air.



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TRIGGERING POWER PLAYS



To trigger a Power Play you need to fill up at least one segment in your Power Bar, and hold onto it until you're driving near a Power Play on the track.

Filling a blue segment of your Power Bar is enough to fire a Level 1 Power Play. Save your Power up to fill the red bar and you can trigger the devastating Level 2 Power Plays.

Watch out for colored icons appearing above the road ahead, or over your opponent's car. A blue icon tells you there's a Level 1 Power Play nearby, and a red icon highlights a Level 2 Power Play. When you see an icon, get ready to hit the appropriate Power Play button and watch the action unfold!

When you race new tracks, try to learn how each Power Play works to refine your timings, and watch out for Power Plays that open shortcuts and unlock new routes with even more Power Play opportunities!

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